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June 22, 2003

Ms. Marlene Dortch Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petition for Rule Making Lovelady, Texas

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of my Petition for Rule Making to allot Channel 288A to Lovelady, Texas.

Respectfully submitted,

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Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)
Amendment of 73.202 (b)) MP Dookst No
·) MB Docket No
Table of Allotments)
FM Broadcast Stations)
(Lovelady, Texas))

To: John Karousos, Assistant Chief Audio Division of the Media Bureau

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, Charles Crawford respectfully petitions the FCC to institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel 288A at Lovelady, Texas.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 288A to Lovelady, Texas as that community's first competing FM service. Lovelady is an incorporated city with a population of 608 people. Forty businesses in Lovelady have been given a credit rating by Dun & Bradstreet as of the last quarter of 2000 according to the Texas Almanac 2002/2003. Lovelady has its own mayor, Mike Broxson, city offices, post office, schools, volunteer fire department and a number of local churches. The proposed channel 288A will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local selfexpression to Lovelady residents and therefore is in the public interest.

In order for Channel 288A to be allotted to Lovelady, Texas, station KYKS Channel 286C at Lufkin, Texas must be

Thunnel 382C3 is currently allotted to Lovelady, Texas per Docket No. 39-138.

According to the 2002/ 2003 Texas Almanac.

reclassified to a CO. (See, Attachment A, Request to Reclassify statement)

Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 288A can be allocated to Lovelady, Texas, consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992). (See, Attachment B)

Reference coordinates for Channel 288A at Lovelady, Texas are:

31 03 14 N 95 32 34 W

Should this petition be granted, and Channel 288A be allotted to Lovelady, Texas, Petitioner will apply for Channel 288A, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The factual information provided in this Petition for Rule Making is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Gene A. Bechtel, Law Office of Gene Bechtel, Suite 600, 1050 17th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, telephone (202) 496-1289, telecopier (301) 762-0156, attorney for Charles Crawford. It is requested that the Commission and any parties who may file pleadings in the captioned matter serve copier to Mr. Bechtel as well as Charles Crawford.

Attachment A

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Petition for Rule Making FM Channel 288A Lovelady, Texas June 22, 2003

Attachment A

Request to Reclassify Station KYKS(FM), Lufkin, Texas Pursuant to MM Docket 98-93

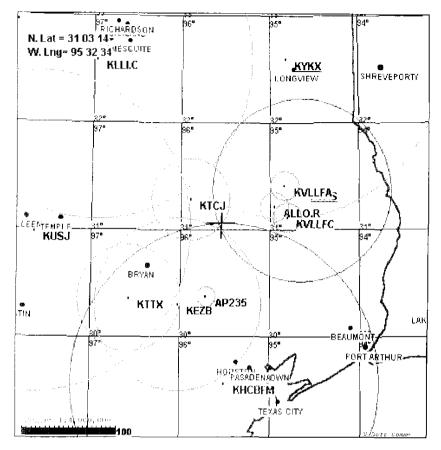
Radio Station KYKS(FM), Lufkin, Texas is licensed to Capstar TX Limited Partnership, 2625 S. Memorial Drive, Suite A, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74129, (Facility ID 25582), FCC File No. BLH 19900827KA. The facility operates with a power of 100 kilowatts with center of radiation 325 meters height above average terrain. The above captioned Docket 98-93 provides the mechanism to automatically downgrade a Class C facility to Class C0 when a demand is made for the spectrum, as is the case here. Charles Crawford respectfully requests that the license of Radio Station KYKS(FM) be modified to specify operation on FM Channel 286C0 instead of on FM Channel 286C in accordance with the above Docket which provides for such downgrades when a demand for the unused spectrum is made, as is the case here.

Charles Crawford, the proponent of Channel 288A at Lovelady, Texas, in accordance with the above Docket, formally requests that the Commission reclassify Radio Station KYKS(FM) as a Class C0 facility. Charles Crawford certifies that no alternative channel is available for the service he proposes at Lovelady, Texas as is proposed in the Petition for Rule Making. A copy of this Petition for Rule Making is being served on Capstar TX Limited Partnership, as is required in the above Docket.

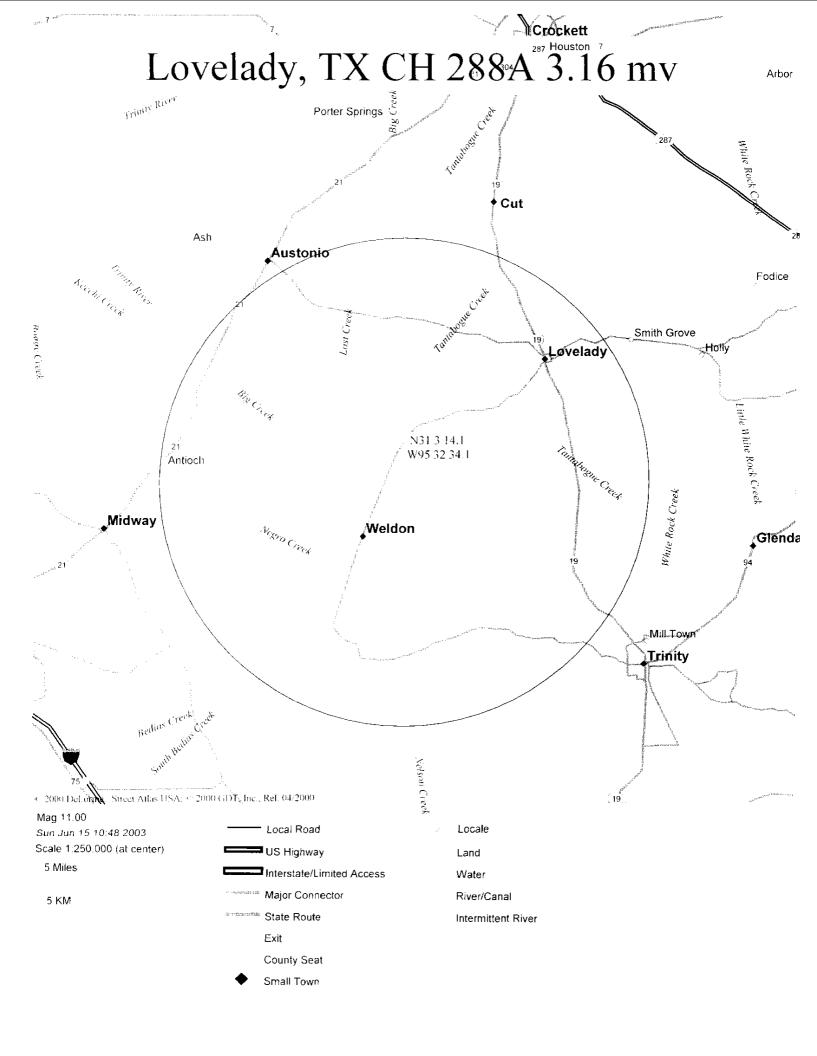
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Attachment B

EM PROSP^(R) LOCATE STUDY CH 288 A 105.5 MHz Study



^all	CH#	Туре	Location		D-KM	Azi	FCC	Margin
KYKS	286C*	LIC	Lufkin	ΤX	92.33	67.4	95.0	-2.67
KHCBFM	289C	LIC	Houston	TX	164.73	178.5	165.0	-0.27
KTCJ	290C3	LIC	Centerville	TX	42.05	307.2	42.0	0.05
KEZB	287C3	LIC	Hempstead	TX	95.12	209.3	89.0	6.12
KYKX	289C*	LIC N	Longview	ΤX	183.95	21.6	165.0	18.95
KUSJ	288C2	LIC	Harker Heights	ΤX	199.52	268.4	166.0	33.52
ALLO.R	234C2	RSV	Wells	$\mathrm{T}\mathrm{X}$	58.83	72.6	15.0	43.83
KLLI.C	287C	CP	Dallas	TX	216.53	322.1	165.0	51.53
KLLI	287C	LIC	Dallas	TX	216.53	322.1	165.0	51.53
KVLLFC	234C2	CP N	Wells	TX	70.34	84.4	15.0	55.34
KVLLFA	234C2	APP-Z	Wells	ΤX	78.01	59.4	15.0	63.01
AP235	235A	APP	Houston	TX	76.58	192.1	10.0	66.58
KTTX	291C2	LIC-Z	Brenham	TX	125.12	232.4	55.0	70.12



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

T, Charles Crawford, hereby certify that on this 22nd day of June, 2003, I caused copies of the foregoing "Petition for Rule Making for Lovelady, Texas" to be placed in the U.S. Postal Service, first class postage prepaid, addressed to the following persons:

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